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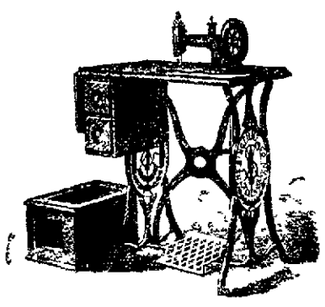

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What is the greatest charge on record? asked the professor of history. And the absent-minded student promptly answered, "Seventeen dollars for a hack hire for self and girl for two hours." *Pick.*

There is a man with a corn who painfully kicks an old hat off the sidewalk, and not knowing there is a brick inside, fancies he can appreciate the feelings of the French in Tunis. *Texas Siftings.*

I should like to see somebody abducted, said Mrs. Smith at the breakfast table the other morning. H'm! so should I, my dear, so should I, said Mr. Smith with exceeding emphasis.

Rogues need to be singular. When the house of Mrs. Homespun was burglarized the other night the good old lady said she didn't care so much for the value of the critters carried off, for she intended to have everything all chirked up, and besides that she says they tracked the house with snow from garret to cellar. *Boston Transcript.*

When I ... the first cruise of ... I ... Arab ... Burgh the ... men ... And ... together ... drinkers ... liquor ... war ... *Mr. Dana, Jr.*

In a church in Scotland where there was a popular call for a minister, it is termed two candidates offered to preach, whose names were Adam and Lowe. The latter preached in the morning, and took for his text, "Adam, where art thou?" He made an excellent discourse, and the congregation was very much edified. In the afternoon Mr. Adam preached upon these words, "Lo, here I am." For many months all the sermon gave him the nickname.

We see that a bill for the relief of Oscar Long has been recently introduced in the House. If Congress can make an appropriation for everybody who has been owin' long, it would put a good deal of money into circulation and revive the drooping interests of the country. *Lowell Courier.*

A Lowell man recently sent a man a bill. Was for collection. The bill was paid with the result noted. Just one month one being marked ... three months after the bill got into a new lot that was not made up and when the list came ... the name was marked still ...

Washington Society in Jackson's Time

The ... was the wildest gaiety ... evenings ... whist with ... and a glass of two ... Jackson ... whist and ... of ... tobacco ... the ... tables were ... with ... chicken ... and ... the ... Plantation tobacco was freely smoked in pipes ... except the members of the ... corps ... indulged in cigars.

Assemblies were held once a week between Christmas Day and Ash Wednesday, to which all the respectable ladies in the city who danced were invited. It was also customary for the staff of the Cabinet officers and other high officials who kept house to give at least one evening party during each session of Congress in honor of ... for which were issued. The guests at these parties used to assemble at about 8 o'clock and after taking off their wraps in an outer room they descended to the parlor, where the host and hostess received them. The older men then went to the punch bowl to enhance the flow which it contained while the young people found their way to the drawing room, almost invariably devoted to dancing. The music was a piano and two violins and one of the musicians called the figures for the cotillions and contra dances. Those who did not dance elbowed their way through the crowd conversing with acquaintances, the men frequently taking another glass of punch.

At 10 the guests were invited to the supper table which was often on the wide back porch which every Washington house had in those days. The table was always loaded with evidences of the culinary skill of the lady of the house. There was a roast ham at one end, a saddle of venison or mutton at the other and some roasted poultry or wild ducks in the ... variety of home baked cake was a source of pride, and there was never any lack of punch with decanters of madeira. The diplomats gave champagne but it was seldom seen except at the legations. At 11 there was a general exodus and after the usual scramble for hats, cloaks and overshoes, the guests entered their carriages. Sometimes a few intimate friends of the hostess lingered to enjoy a contra dance or to take a parting drink of punch, but by midnight the last guest departed and the servants began to blow out the candles with which the house had been illuminated.

An Arkansas Romance

Rich Gazette

Some time ago a Miss Wampton, a beautiful young lady, and a wealthy young farmer named Rockton were married. The young lady would not have been termed a happy bride. She had never loved Rockton and only married to please a widowed mother. "I will obey you," said the girl, "but I do not even like Mr. Rockton." There is nothing in sympathy between us. He is wealthy, but while poverty always brings misery, not wealth does not always bring happiness. You know that I am devoted to Tom Rosemond and that he is devoted to me, but if you, as my mother, command me, I will obey, even though the effort cost me my life as well as my happiness."

The ceremony was performed. Rosemond, who would have been the girl's choice, left the neighborhood. Rockton and his wife began keeping house. Six months afterward Rosemond returned and sent Mrs. Rockton a note begging an interview. She showed the note and her answer of refusal to her husband. He kissed her as a reward of fidelity. Rockton was taken sick with swamp fever and when about to die he said:

"You have been a faithful wife. Nine women out of ten would have run away long ago. I have always known that you loved Rosemond. I have sent for him. I want you to marry him before I die, so that I can see the ceremony."

"That would not be legal," answered the wife, "for I cannot marry another man so long as you are living."

"Well, but I want him here, so I can see that the ceremony is performed immediately after I am dead."

Rosemond and a preacher were sent for. They arrived. Rockton gasped and motioned. The marriage party approached the bed. Rockton placed the hands of the lovers together, gasped, and died. The preacher raised his hand and the lovers were married.

Why the Parson Left Kentucky

A good many years ago when a certain place in Texas was a very small town, quite a number of prominent citizens went out on a hunting expedition. One night when they were all gathered around the camp fire one of the party suggested that each should give the time and reason for his leaving his native State and coming to Texas, whereupon each one in turn told his experience. Judge Blank had killed a man in self defense, in Arkansaw, General Scoundso had forged another man's signature to a check while another came to Texas on account of his having two wives. The only man who did not make any disclosures was a sanctimonious looking old man, who, although a professional gambler, was usually called Parson.

"Well, Parson, why did you leave Kentucky?"

"I don't care to say anything about it. Besides, it was only a trifle. None of you would believe me anyhow."

"Out with it. Did you shoot anybody?"

"No, gentlemen, I did not. Since you want to know so bad I'll tell you. I left Kentucky because I did not build a church."

Deep silence fell on the group. No such excuse for coming to Texas ever had been heard of before. There was evidently an unexplained mystery at the bottom of it. The Parson was called upon to furnish more light.

"Well, gentlemen, you see a congregation raised $3,000 and turned it over to me to build a church, and I didn't build the church. That's all."

An Overworked Man

The President is ... the hardest worked man in the United States. He dines at 7:30 and is a hearty eater. He generally has friends to dinner and wine and good stories are not lacking. At dinner he is Chet Arthur again. This meal and cigars end about 9 o'clock. From that to 11 he accords to appointments made during the day with various individuals. After these are over, or about 12 o'clock, he goes into the library and looks over the newspapers arranged there for him and disposes of such public business as must be transacted without interruption. This occupies him until 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning, and sometimes it is 4 or 5 before he creeps into that esthetic bed which has been so elaborately described. He lie klists next day at 10.

He was asking the conductor how he managed to build a house and buy a fast horse out of his $50 a month. "You see," said this noble man, "sometimes we get a way passenger who pays a quarter or a half dollar for his fare. Well, we flip the money up, heads for the conductor, tails for the company. But, persisted this investigator, after truth, "sometimes it must turn up tails. What do you do then?" "Oh," replied the conductor, with ineffable contempt, "then we flip it up again." So that passenger went home and sold out his railroad shares.

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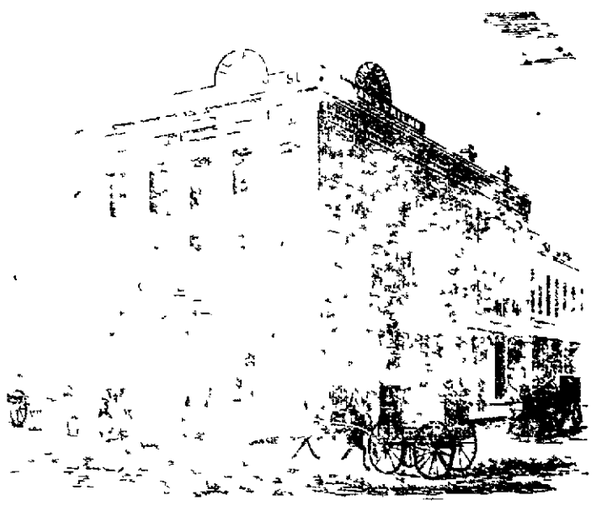

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IN New York they call him "the Oscar Wilde, the Ass there."

THE news from foreign lands is quite quiet. France has a monetary panic, and the Spanish royal baby has the measles.

IMMIGRANTS continue to flock to the land of the free and the home of the brave. The arrivals at New York last week numbered 2,235.

NEW strawberries are in market in Florida, and are thought cheap at $1.50 per quart, while green peas bring 25 cents per quart.

AT Chicago, on Monday night, an immense public meeting was held, to give expression to the views of the people of that city on the subject of polygamy. Hon. Thomas Hoyne presided, and addresses were made by Schuyler Colfax, "Long" John Wentworth and others, and the most outspoken sentiment prevailed in favor of making a vigorous and extermi[illegible] war upon the longer existence of this relic of barbarism.

THE time specified in the official order requiring the vaccination of school children in this state has been extended as follows: In counties where small pox exists the time is extended to February 15, in counties where small pox threatens it is extended to March 1, provided that it shall not be in evidence in any township in any county. From the order is to take effect within fifteen days from the date of the last case. Returns or certificates may be made at any time during the month of March.

IT is [illegible] that the thoroughfares of our newly built and both the passenger and freight traffic of the single port of New York. Nearly 200,000 [illegible] from the Germany [illegible] which is fast getting rid of the very best of its laboring people. All of these immigrants being more or less money, some of them are first workers, who will contribute by their labor to the wealth of the country, and the great mass of them are honest, folk out of whom an American citizen, far excellent kind can be made within the course of a few years.

NEARLY ENOUGH

Pooling drawn. The case is now [illegible] has not spoken [illegible] and [illegible] able by the [illegible] argument for the Government, which closes the case, [illegible] the lawyers are concerned. The charge to the jury by Judge Cox will not occupy much time, and the twelve faithful and much bored jurymen will certainly retire to deliberate upon their verdict not later than Thursday. It should not take them long to bring in a verdict of guilty but [illegible] proverbially uncertain, and it need not surprise anybody to hear of a disagreement. The aim of the defense has been to endeavor to mystify and mix up the minds of the jurors upon the subject of insanity, and thus secure a hung jury. Judge Porter has made a splendid argument, and there ought to be no disagreement, but there's no telling what the result may be.

The Coming Man

Alton Telegraph.

The coming man for Governor of Illinois is Captain Henry D. Dement, the present efficient and popular Secretary of State. He may not be the nominee of the next Republican convention, but we deem it safe to predict that the highest honors of the State will be conferred upon him at no very distant day.

OSCAR Tilden Dow, not in Texas, has been convinced of the error of his ways. Writing to a friend, a citizen of Cisco, he says: "It is true that many of the southern negroes are indolent and vicious, and it is equally true that they have no incentive to be otherwise. If one tries to be any better he is systematically outraged. So far as my observation goes, the best [illegible] are honest and industrious as the whites. I claim to be a fair judge. I voted for Tilden in 1876 and for Hancock in 1880, but I have seen just enough to satisfy me that I made two mistakes. But for the influence of the Republican party at Washington there would be no safety for the loyal blacks in Texas." As there are nearly 400,000 blacks in that state, the admission is significant.

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Do NOT buy before you see the stock and prices of Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. You will save money. jan11d&wtf

IT is now admitted by everybody that has taken the trouble to investigate that you can get better shoes for the money at J. W. Baker's than at any other store n h dec10—d&wtf

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The Principle of a Protective Tariff on Imports.

From the Anaconda Leaving Journal.

The theory of the Republican doctrine of a protective import tariff is very simple. Its purpose is to foster home industry, to create a demand for our labor and to ensure fair wages for honest work. No nation can be really independent that is not able to look outside of itself for what is essential to its life and to the comfort and happiness of its people.

The disadvantages under which the south labored during the civil war is a significant illustration. Although it was in some degree benefited by the protective principle, the people of that section never availed themselves, as they might have done, of its stimulating influence, and were, as a consequence, wholly dependent upon sources outside of themselves for many things essential to a vigorous prosecution of the war they forced upon the country. They were crippled at the start because of this dependence, and it was a source of weakness to them during the whole contest.

With the north it was not so. Whatever was necessary—munitions and supplies of every sort, from a cartridge to a cannon, and from a shoe to a chapeau—were all available, promptly and in superabundance, at our own workshops, factories and laboratories. But for this the result of the persistent way in which the protective principle had been fostered not only would years have been added to the contest, but the result might have been less satisfactory to our national pride and less gratifying in its practical issues.

The fathers of the revolution were sadly crippled because of their poverty in all the departments of industry, and the war of 1812 furnished new proof of the embarrassments which are inseparable from dependence upon other nations during a struggle with a foreign power. If the United States had been as capable of meeting the exigencies of the war as they are to-day, there would have been no war of 1812, or, if there had been, it would have been fought better and would have closed sooner. There is no surer guarantee for perpetual peace than abundant preparation for possible war, and no nation has this preparation which has not within itself the ability to produce whatever is necessary to push a war with alacrity and vigor.

The United States is thus prepared to-day, and that it is thus prepared is owing to the fact that, under the protective principle the needed industries have been fostered and encouraged until they are ready to respond to any demand that may be made upon them, whether in war or in peace. If the United States is respected and feared now more than ever before, it is because it can compel respect, and it can compel respect because it has reached a point in material wealth and in manufacturing resources when we are not dependent upon either the friendship or the forbearance of any nation for what is necessary to enable us to repel invasion or to vindicate our national honor.

If protection has done no more than this it would deserve to be well thought of by every intelligent statesman and every true patriot in the land. But this national advantage is but an incident. The real merit of the principle and the real reason why it should be tenaciously adhered to is because of the beneficent influence it has exerted upon the prosperity and happiness of the people, by curtailing competition between those whose wages are largely contingent upon an active demand for their labor, and thus insuring to every man "a fair day's wage for a fair day's service."

That the protective principle has wrought out these results is susceptible of demonstration, and it is because the millions of workmen who find abundant remunerative employment in our thousands of workshops, mills and factories, understand the whole subject in its essential rudiments, that the free trade and revenue tariff sophistries not only fail to find favor with our intelligent artisans, but prove fatal to the political aspirations of all who assume their championship.

A CORRESPONDENT of the London *Times*, writing from the "black lands" of Russia about the scarcity of labor in that region, says that the laborer's ordinary wages are from 40 to 50 copecks (25 to 30 cents) daily; but at harvest time, or when the field is to be dug for beet-root, the landlord finds it extremely difficult to procure laborers even at two or three roubles a day, and he declares that he would rather pay that high wages to one efficient laborer than to four such lazy hounds as he can muster in the neighborhood. Of the northern peasants reported to be yearly flocking from their comparatively barren lands to these fertile southern fields, hardly any make their appearance, except carpenters and other mechanics, who, however useful in their several capacities, are of no avail whatever as field hands. The distress for reapers and plowmen has waxed so great that the government has had to come to the landowners' rescue by allowing the soldiers quartered in the garrisons to lend their hands at the rate of one rouble daily for each man, their employer having to feast and entertain their officers into the bargain. But, although as many as 50,000 men from the ranks have thus been told off in the province of Podolia alone to make themselves useful on a better ground than a battlefield, the supply of labor is still woefully inadequate to the demand.

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

PORTER'S PROGRESS

He Tells the Jury Some Plain Truths,

Which do Not Please the Murderer and His Friends.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—As soon as court opened, Judge Porter was about to begin his speech when the prisoner forestalled him and called out from the dock: "I desire to say that some crank has signed my name to a letter that appeared in the papers this morning. It was without my authority, and I repudiate it. I also want to say in regard to a couple of cranks who, I understand, have been arrested for hanging around here, if they undertake to harm me they will be shot down. I want every one to understand this."

Judge Porter, who had paused to permit this preliminary announcement, began by saying that "the prisoner, as usual, has made the opening speech." After thanking the court and jury for their consideration yesterday, which had made it possible for him to appear before them to-day, Judge Porter said:

"This whole defense has been a sham and imposture, an imposture which was supposed to have gained a strength of credence from reiteration. The truth asserted by this defense is that truth which is uttered with effrontery, enforced by persistence, and reduplicated by reiteration. This is the truth which they assert in opposition to that truth which you are to ascertain and declare. In my remarks yesterday I showed you how the prisoner has belied by his acts his profession: how he has belied by his acts the character given him by his counsel. I showed you that he had been a liar, a swindler, a murderer at heart from the beginning. That this man has grown worse every year of his life, we have all seen and know."

Guiteau: That's bosh, and you know it, Porter.

Judge Porter continued to depict the character of the prisoner and the fallacies of his defense, when Guiteau again and again interrupted him at one time calling out: "Attorney General MacVeagh wouldn't have anything to do with it."

Judge Porter, half replying to the prisoner, said: "And this Christian gentleman would have you even believe that Attorney General MacVeagh had dipped his fingers in Garfield's blood.

Guiteau: Oh, that's very fine.

A moment later, allusion having been made by Judge Porter to the present Attorney General, Guiteau bawled out: "He's a high-toned gentleman, and you're a wine-bibber. I've got your record, Mr. Porter."

Judge Porter (with deliberation): Well, perhaps I am.

Guiteau (with a drawling accent): Well, I guess you are, Mr. Judge Porter.

Continuing, Judge Porter said: "This Christian gentleman, who prays every night and every morning, would have you believe I am a wine-bibber." With great effect and impressive earnestness of manner, Judge Porter emphasized an anecdote which he related, showing the distinction between the spirit of love and the spirit of woe, the latter being expressed in the life and character of the prisoner.

The first serious outbreak of the morning occurred when Judge Porter, adverting to the statement of the prisoner's counsel, reiterated the assertions of the prisoner himself that the notes of Stenographer Bailey were destroyed by the prosecution because they would have benefited the defense, and denied the right of the defense to expect or demand to see papers prepared by the prosecution solely for their own use. "Furthermore," said Judge Porter, "there was not contained in them anything,—as asserted by the defense,—anything that would have improved their standing in this case."

Scoville insisted on being heard, and demanded that the court should stop counsel from making such statements on his own authority as to the contents of the papers, which had not been in evidence before the jury.

Judge Porter insisted that he had a right to make any statements of the same character made by the other side.

Judge Cox thought the counsel had no right to make any statement as to the contents of such papers.

Judge Porter, with much feeling, protested that he had been a practitioner longer than the Judge, and had never before heard such a ruling. He (Porter) was, of course, debarred from taking legal exception, but he must protest against the unfairness of the position which would admit all sorts of statements from the prisoner and his counsel, yet would debar the prosecution from all opportunity of refutation.

Reed, with considerable excitement, said: "If I was the Judge, I would put him under arrest. Such insolence to the court should be punished."

Judge Porter resumed his argument and proceeded to discuss the question of reasonable doubt as an element of defense for insanity. Referring to the decision of Judge Martin, of New Jersey, which had been reinforced by decisions in Ohio, he was again interrupted by Scoville, who desired to know if arguments were to be heard again on law points. A short colloquy between counsel ensued, but Porter removed the objection by handing his authority to the Judge, saying: "It will answer every purpose of mine, your Honor, if you should have occasion to rule upon that point."

Returning again to the crime and its commission, Judge Porter said: "Who killed Garfield?"

Guiteau: The doctors.

Porter: The doctors?

Guiteau: Yes. The Lord let them do it to confirm my act.

Porter: Secretary Blaine was responsible.

Guiteau: I say morally responsible.

Porter: Mr. Blaine saved his life on that night before the murder simply by his presence with him as they walked together. He might have saved his life on that fatal 2d of July, but for the fact that the murderer came from behind them. Blaine is morally responsible for not preventing the crime.

The prisoner confessed that Mrs. Garfield's presence with her husband on a former occasion had prevented him from shooting. He was asked if Mrs. Garfield had been leaning on his arm instead of Blaine on that fatal morning, would he have shot him, and he answered "No." Then Mrs. Garfield is responsible for her husband's death, according to the fallacies of the wretchedly fallacious defense.

Referring to the oratorical flight of counsel for the defense, when he planned out the widow of the murdered President at her daily prayers praying for the acquittal of the prisoner in the name of justice, Judge Porter, in burning language, showed up the profanity and inconsistency of such assertions, and rebuked the assertion of the man who had never exchanged a word with Mrs. Garfield in presuming to credit her with such monstrous sentiments.

Continuing, Judge Porter said: "Who else is responsible? John H. Noyes; he is responsible; he killed Garfield. John H. Noyes, from whom the prisoner stole his lectures.

Guiteau: That is false. I rely on my own brains for my productions.

"Who else is responsible? His father is responsible; the father whom he struck when he was 18 years old. He killed Garfield. That father, whom he says he can never forgive, and with whom he had not for the last fifteen years of his honored life exchanged a word.

"Who else is responsible? The mother. The mother whom he scarcely ever remembers; who was guilty of the monstrosity of having an attack of erysipelas, so as to necessitate the cutting off of her hair some weeks before his birth, and who, for this reason, it is reported, transmitted congenital insanity to this murderer.

"Who else is responsible? Why, Uncle Abram, who was drunken and dissolute, but not insane. He transmitted insanity to him, although he did not become insane until after the prisoner was born. He killed Garfield by making the prisoner insane.

"Who else is responsible? Why, Uncle Francis killed Garfield. Uncle Francis, who, as we are told, being disappointed in love, either killed the woman he loved, or fought a sham duel and long after became demented. He killed Garfield by making this man a congenital monstrosity, as Dr. Spitska says. Then cousin Abbey. She is responsible, who unfortunately, was taken possession of by one of this Guiteau tribe, a traveling mesmerist, and her young mind was so wrought upon that finally she was, for better protection, sent to an insane asylum. She killed Garfield by making this man insane; and, as if all this were not enough to kill President Garfield—

Guiteau: There's enough to kill your case, according to your own showing.

Porter: Why the Chicago convention killed him. "If they had not nominated him I should not have killed him," says the prisoner. The doctors killed him, for if he had not been chosen President he would not have been killed. His nomination was the act of God. "His election was the act of God," says the prisoner, and he would have us believe that the Deity, who had thus twice confirmed his choice, found it necessary to correct his labors by appointing this wretched swindler, this hypocrite, this syphilitic monstrosity, to murder the President, whose nomination and election he had confirmed. These are the defenses set forth by this prisoner and his counsel to divert your attention from the fact that the deliberate murderer of Garfield sits there. (Pointing to the prisoner.)

"But even this was not enough. The Press killed Garfield, and the Press is arraigned by the prisoner, and, without even an indictment, the Press is found guilty by the murderer. But, fortunately, they are found guilty only by the blistered, murderous tongue of the prisoner himself.

Judge Porter denied the assumption of Reed that President Garfield thought Guiteau insane, and quoted from conversations with his doctors to show the weakness of the assertion. Alluding to President Arthur, Judge Porter asserted he was Garfield's successor by the same constitutional force of legitimacy as was Garfield himself.

Guiteau: And made so by the inspiration of Guiteau, and don't forget it, Porter.

Replying to the taunt from the prisoner, Judge Porter described him as slippery as an orange pell, as venomous as a rattlesnake, and, speaking of the act of murder, said this was a rattlesnake without a rattle but not without fangs. "I might detain you here," said Porter, "a week, but I am here for the purpose of ascertaining whether this man is guilty, and these collateral issues I will not delay upon." The junior counsel, said Judge Porter, has told you, you are kings, implying you may override the law and evidence in grasping almost intangible doubt, and ignoring solid structure of evidence of guilt. You are not kings, and the man who told you so is the junior counsel, the only man in fifty million who would or could recommend Guiteau for office.

Recess.

After recess Judge Porter resumed his argument and pointed out the cunning, the duplicity and the acting of the prisoner since the beginning of the trial. "You are, gentlemen of the jury, no more kings in respect of the law than is the prisoner in the dock, who sits uncrowned save with his own conceit."

Referring to the oft-repeated expression that he had sent Garfield prepared to meet his God, and he (Guiteau) too was ready to die if God willed it, Judge Porter, with deliberate emphasis said:

"I do not believe in all this assemblage there is one soul contemplates with such abject terror the possibility of facing his Maker as does this brazen murderer."

Guiteau whirled around with the ferocity of a wild beast and furily yelled out: "That's a miserable lie, and you know it, Porter, and you are an infernal scoundrel. I hope God Almighty will send for you soon, both you and Corkhill; such a miserable, stinking whelp as that."

"The law," said Judge Porter, "as it bears upon this case, is the Supreme Court, and you are but simply God made men, and under the obligation of a solemn oath to bring in your verdict under the law and facts. Summing up the questions presented in the case upon which they were sworn to be called upon to pass, Judge Porter said: The first of the questions for you to consider is, was the prisoner insane on the 2d of July? The case is at an end and your sworn duty is ended.

2. If you reach that, if he was insane on that day, was he insane to that degree that on the second of July he did not know that murder was morally and legally wrong. If he was not insane to that degree, you are bound under your oaths to convict him.

3. If in utter disregard of his confessions under oath you shall find he actually and honestly believed God had commanded him to kill President Garfield, and that he was under a delusion, unless you find the further fact that such delusion disabled him from knowing such an act was morally and legally wrong, you are bound under your oaths to convict him.

4. If you find that such delusion did exist, and that God commanded him to do the act, and that such delusion was the sole product of insanity, then, and then only, you acquit him. When you find he was unable to control his own will, you must remember that under oath he has sworn he was able to control it, for he said: "Had Mrs. Garfield been with him at the depot on the 2d of July, I would not have shot him."

5. If you find that even though he was partially insane, it resulted from his own malignity, his own depravity, yet still you are bound, under the instructions of the court, to convict him.

6. If, upon the whole case you have no reasonable doubt whether he was partially or wholly insane; if you believe that he knew his act was legally and morally wrong, you are, under your oaths, bound to convict him.

"The law," said Judge Porter, "is founded on reason, and it must not be said that an American jury shall override the law and establish a principle which will let murder and rape and arson run riot through the land."

Was this man sane on the 2d of July? I aver that this proof indisputably establishes he never was insane, and certainly not on the 2d of July. On that point, the principal point claimed by the prisoner and counsel, is the atrocity of this particular act. I do not deny his claim of being the most cold-blooded and savage murder of the last 6,000 years, but is not alone as he will find when he comes to those realms where murderers are consigned.

Porter went on to criticise the testimony of Reed, Amerling and North. He said it would take a thousand oaths to make him believe that Luther W. Guiteau, that calm, quiet, religious man, ever said to his old father and mother, who had an only son that did not want them to go to the Oneida community, "Take a knife and slay him as Abraham did Isaac."

At this stage of Porter's argument the court adjourned.

SPEAKING of the general financial situation as affected by the panic in France, Monday's New York *Tribune* remarks:

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THERE is a general complaint among druggists that they cannot get enough of "Dr. Sykes' Sure Cure for Catarrh" to supply the demand. If thus disappointed write direct to the Doctor, 169 Madison street, Chicago. 19 dAwlw

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Jan. 11—d&wtf

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WE learn from a Decatur gentleman—friend of the family—who visited Clinton on Monday, that Mrs. Porter, the mother of the young wife, Mrs. Uel E. Hurd, is now disposed not to prese the prosecution of Mr. Hurd on the charge of perjury, provided she is assured the couple will live happily together as husband and wife. It will be remembered that Hurd was tried in court here last week on the charge of perjury, and that the jury, which stood 7 for conviction and 5 for acquittal, was discharged by Judge Smith after having deliberated on the knotty points of law for 24 hours. The bail of Hurd was reduced from $1000 to $600, but he will not or cannot give it, and he is still in jail. The case will probably not be called up again until the May term of court, when some disposition will be made of the matter that may result in the prisoner gaining his freedom. The young wife will be properly cared for by friends in Decatur, and during the intervening three months she will visit her husband daily. She declared in Clinton before the trial that in case her husband was convicted and sent to Joliet for 20 years, she would remain true to him and live with him after his discharge.

ELLIOTT BARNES' greatest American play, "Only a Farmer's Daughter," in four acts and a prologue, was presented in Decatur last night at the opera house to a large and fashionable audience, and to judge from the frequent applause during the play and from the expressions of commendations heard to-day, all went home well pleased with the performance. The play is thrillingly interesting at times, and is spiced with fresh witticisms. It portrays the evil influence of scheming and reckless adventurers in society circles, and teaches a profitable lesson. The play is similar to that of the "Artist's Dream," and closes with a happy denouement. The company is evenly balanced. Adelaide Cherie, the adventuress, is a very handsome woman, and is an artist as a scheming actress. Her costumes were very rich. The company will appear in Bloomington to-night.

MACON county's contribution to the Garfield Monument Fund ($200) is nearly ready to be forwarded to the State Agent, Mr. Reynolds, at Peoria. Only sixty dollars are lacking, and this amount ought to be raised in a few days, if the proper effort is made by those who have been given subscription papers by Mr. J. J. Peddicord, the agent for this county. He says he is not in a great hurry to forward the cash, but he don't want Macon to be behind every other county in Illinois.—Over $60 have been raised at Millikin & Co.'s bank.

THE cozy home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cox on North Main street, last evening, was the scene of a pleasant surprise party, and all had a delightful pleasant time. There were about 20 couples present. Splendid refreshments were served.

Bal Masque Last Night.

The masquerade ball, given last night in Guards' Armory, under the management of the Harmonia Club, was a huge social success, the costumes of the merry dancers being generally good, and the Willichny music up to the standard. The prompter of the evening was Mr. Frank Batteiger. The programme included 17 dances, and there was a short intermission for refreshments at the restaurants. This club always give delightful parties, and those who attend unanimously vote each a success. Fred Litterer, Wayne Wilson, Frank T. Hall and John Mattes were among the best masked persons on the floor.

Boy Wanted.

Immediately, for two weeks, at C. W. Challis' shoe store.

Officers Elected.

There was a good attendance at the business meeting of Neptune Hose Co. No. 3, held last evening. The following named persons were chosen officers for the ensuing twelve months:

Foreman—W. J. Wayne.
1st Ass't Foreman—J. [illegible]
2d " " —R. C. [illegible]
Secretary—A. C. Corneman.
Financial Secretary—Charles Reid.
Treasurer—J. M. Hughes.
1st Pipeman—Charles Chandler.
2d Pipeman—Richard Fitzpatrick.
1st Plugman—John Oren.
2d Plugman—M. Murphy.
Standing Committee—W. J. Wayne, J. C. Jones, A. C. Corneman, R. C. England, J. M. Hughes.

"Babes in the Wood" To-Night.

Rice's "Evangeline" Company, which is now in the city, will present "Babes in the Wood" at the opera house to-night.—This is the most laughable and funny burlesque of the season. The reputation of the company for giving refined and elegant entertainments, their brilliant successes in Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia, New York and San Francisco (playing in the last named city one hundred and twelve nights), and their patronage by the *elite* of all the principal cities of the country, is a matter of record. Mr. Rice has always brought companies of superior talent, and in this instance he will introduce a piece as funny in its way as anything ever yet presented. The music is said to be charming, and nothing objectionable or suggestive is ever allowed or even thought of in the action. The fact that this company have just closed a brilliant engagement of fifty consecutive performances at the Union Square, Theatre, New York, and eight weeks at the Park Theatre, Boston, should be a sufficient guarantee of the excellence of the company to those who do not already know its extended reputation. Go to-night.

Magnetic Garments.

Dr. George Kilner, traveling agent for the Chicago Magneton Appliance Company, is at the New Deming Hotel, with a great assortment of magnetic garments and insoles. Those afflicted and want to be cured speedily should call and see him. 24-d2t

To the Public.

We have in our city Dr. F. B. LEINO, optician, of New York, and I am free to say, from my acquaintance with the doctor and his credentials, that I consider him thorough in his branch of the profession, and any person that may be necessitated to use Spectacles or Eye-Glasses will find it greatly to their advantage in having them properly adjusted. His goods are manufactured from the purest material. The doctor can be consulted for a few days longer at my drug house, south side of New Park.

Yours, very respectfully,
A. J. STONER, M. D.

Decatur, Ills., Jan. 23, 1882.—d5t

CHOICE Wisconsin butter at Young Bros.' jan13-dtf

THE WABASH SURGEONS.

A Meeting in Decatur Called to Organize a Surgical Society.

Address by Chief Surgeon Woods—Oyster Supper To-Night.

In response to a call issued by Doctor Woods, of Toledo, Ohio, about thirty surgeons of the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Railway from various points along the main line and branches of the road, gathered in Decatur last evening and to-day, and this forenoon the distinguished looking body of professional gentlemen met in the council room at the new city hall, and were regaled with a salutatory address delivered by the chief surgeon. The paper embraces about 20 pages, on the relations and responsible duties of surgeons to railway companies and employes, and embodies a variety of suggestions as to the system that should be employed in the performance of surgical duties.

Among those present at the morning session were Dr. J. T. Woods, of Toledo, Chief Surgeon; Dr. J. C. Heatne, of Hannibal, Mo.; Dr. A. D. Coe, of Moxico, Ind.; Dr. C. B. Stemen, of Fort Wayne; Dr. J. S. Gregg, do; Dr. W. H. Bell, of Logansport, Ind.; Dr. Geo. F. Beasley, of Lafayette, Ind.; Dr. Wm. Scott, Kokomo, Ind.; Dr. C. V. Rockwell, of Taylorville, Ill.; Dr. A. T. Darrah, of Tolono, Ill.; Dr. F. W. Beard, Vincennes, Ind.; Dr. T. B. Campbell, West Lebanon, Ind.; Dr. A. L. Elder, Fisher, Ill.; Drs. W. J. and Cass Chenoweth, Decatur, Ill.; Dr. Parker, of Cairo, Ill.; Dr. R. W. McMahon, Quincy, Ill.; Dr. D. J. Swarts, Butler, Ind.; Dr. A. J. Mullen, Michigan City, Ind.

The meeting adjourned at about eleven o'clock to meet again for business at 2 p. m. to-day, when Dr. Woods read another paper embracing 25 pages, on "Suggestions as to the Treatment of Injured Persons," which was quite an interesting document

THE OBJECT,

of this first meeting of the Wabash surgeons is to organize a "Surgical Society" which will meet once each year, at certain places along the line of the road, and discuss matters of special interest to railway surgeons.

DECATUR'S HOSPITALITY

to the visiting surgeons will be extended this evening, when on invitation of Drs. W. J. and Cass Chenoweth, they will be given an oyster supper at Wood Bros' restaurant.

A Tight Squeeze.

Last evening a fresh employe of the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway Co., named Arthur Turney, whose home is at Mt. Pulaski, Ill., got a tight squeeze between two freight car bumpers in the Central yard, near the Union Depot. He was a brakeman, and being new at the business, he didn't know about the new-fangled bumpers that injure so many men in the course of a year. No bones were broken, but Turney had to be picked up and carried into the Central House, where he was attended by Dr. W. J. Chenoweth. It was impossible to tell from an external examination how badly the young man was hurt, but it is thought his kidneys are seriously affected. Turney was sent to Mt. Pulaski early this morning.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Overseer Newell is having a fussle with neuralgia.

Ed. Piper's familiar face and form were seen upon the streets last evening.

Samuel Harrison, agent for the Harrisons in "Photos" at the opera house next Tuesday to-night is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

C. H. Olson, the patentee of the joint fastener for coffins, paid us a call last evening.

Frank Goodman has given up his "sit" at Jacksonville and has risen to be a full-fledged musician. He filled two engagements last night.

Pen. Dodson is in danger of being captured by the Mormons. He has forwarded us a copy of the *Daily Tribune*, from Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dr. C. B. Stemen, one of the editors of the Fort Wayne *Medical Journal*, is one of the Wabash surgeons in Decatur today.

Cashier R. H. Roby entered upon his new duties at the Decatur National Bank yesterday, and handed out the cash with "neatness and despatch."

Rev. Compton Burnett is to participate in a joint discussion on the license question at Lincoln to-morrow and Thursday. He will talk on the negative side of the question.

Bloomington *Leader*. Conductor Zeek, of the Illinois Central railroad, whose run is between Amboy and Centralia, is reported to be down with the small pox at the former place.

John Black, the genial member of the boot and shoe firm of W. T. Busher & Co., is again filled with joy, and "sorter like" tells the customers he's a pa, when they enter the store, though he makes no reference to home matters. It's a boy born yesterday.

"Emma Abbott's career, in fact, has been one of the most continuous artistic successes of any prima donna ever brought out in America, and none of the foreign artists have been so successful, financially, as Miss Abbott. This can be accounted for in the fact that Miss Abbott has that peculiar magnetism, or sympathetic quality of voice, that seems to draw the hearts of the people to her." *Chicago Sunday Herald*

Wanted.

A girl to do general housework. Call at C. Cretor's residence, on North Main street, first door north of Bacon & Saxton's paper house. 23d1w.

Wanted to Rent.

A dwelling house containing five or six rooms, within four or five blocks of the old square. Address "X," REPUBLICAN office. 23-dtf.

For Rent

The store room in opera block owned by Mills & Harry, will be for rent Feb. 8, 1882. jan23dtf

Hay for Sale.

I have for sale in my barn in Decatur, a lot of good timothy hay, which will be sold at $16 per ton. Apply to

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Jan. 21 d2w

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18 CHEAP STORE.

MACON CO. CIRCUIT COURT.

December Term, 1881, Judge Smith Presiding

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 25.

Court convened at 8:30 a. m.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Mary Conlin vs. Joseph Robinson and Washington Linder; injunction, decree pro confesso, and referred to master.

Savannah G. Crim vs. Samuel Y. Crim; divorce; heard by court and decree granted.

Ellen A. Chapman vs. Sarah McBride, John I. Hulett and Wilson S. Gage, chancery; evidence heard by court.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The People vs. Alex. Conn, disturbing religious meeting; defendant arraigned and pleaded guilty to the first count in the indictment, nolle entered as to second count. Conn was fined $25, and ordered to stand committed until fine and costs are paid.

Tuesday George Murray, who had pleaded guilty to burglary, was sentenced to serve two years at hard labor in the penitentiary.

The People vs. Mrs. Elizabeth Davis; selling liquor without license; trial by jury; verdict, guilty on each of the sixty counts in the indictment. The fine has not yet been assessed.

The People vs. Elizabeth McCall, assault and battery; nolle entered and defendant discharged.

Amanda Kinney and Lydia Bannister, who were tried by jury and found guilty on Tuesday, on a charge of keeping a house of ill fame, were fined $100 each, and ordered to stand committed until the fines and costs are paid.

A HABEAS CORPUS CASE

from Champaign county received the attention of Judge Smith this forenoon. It was action in which John Blair endeavored to obtain possession of his 11 year old daughter, Maria J. Lindsay, who, with the consent of the father, was turned over to the care of John Lindsay, of Homer, when her mother died and when she was but eleven months old. Mrs. Lindsay was a sister of the late Mrs. John Blair and it was the latter's dying request that her little daughter be given a home in the Lindsay family. The proof showed that Blair, who has married again, had seen his daughter but a few times, and that he had contributed nothing for her support but a pair of shoes. The reason Blair gave for not visiting his daughter more frequently was on account of the bitter feeling that existed between the two families, he was afraid of being assaulted by Lindsay. It appeared in the evidence that Lindsay contemplated making a visit to Ireland, and Blair didn't want his little girl taken along. The witnesses for the plaintiff were John Blair, the father, James Hadlock and Sarah Hadlock, and the attorneys for Blair were H. N. Beardsley, of Champaign; Mr. Elder, of Homer, and John A. Brown, of Decatur. The defendant's witnesses were John Lindsay, Thomas S. Wilson, Minnie G. Wilson and the little girl Maria J. Lindsay, who declared on the stand that she wanted to remain with her mother's people. The defendant's attorneys were Crea & Irwing. Judge Smith remanded the custody of the girl to John Lindsay, and said that he must invite and permit Blair to see his daughter without molestation.

Resigned.

Rev. Geo. W. Kent has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Universalist church of this city. Mr. Kent has been connected with the above church about two years, and during that period has attained a lofty prominence as a divine, without assumption or ostentation. He assigns ill health as the father of his wish to remove from Peoria. The congregation has not yet accepted his resignation, though it is, we believe, inperative. His departure will be generally regreted.—*Peoria Journal.*

MARRIED.

In this city, on Wednesday, Jan. 24th, 1882, by Elder B. Albert, J. P., at his office, Mr. JOSEPH D. REYNOLDS and Mrs. SARAH A. CRIM, both of Niantic township.

V. H. Parke's Feed Store

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

[illegible]

CHICAGO, January 25.

Wheat—$1.23½ January; $1.[illegible] February; $1.26⅛ March; $1.30 May.

Corn—[illegible] January; [illegible] February; [illegible] March; 47½ May, 46⅞ June.

Oats—[illegible] January; 42 February; 40 May.

Pork—[illegible] January; $18.35 February; $18.50 March.

Lard—[illegible] January; $11.[illegible] February; $11.52 March.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Hogs—Estimated receipts [illegible]. Board Market same as yesterday.

CAPE LOTS.

Wheat 53 Corn 101; Oats 98, Rye [illegible]

TOLEDO, January 25.

Wheat—$1.40½ Jan; $1.41¼ Feb; $1.43¼ March; $1.44¼ April; $1.44½ May.

Corn—[illegible] Jan; 47½ May.

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Decatur, Ill., Jan. 11, 1882.—d&wtf

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILL., JANUARY 25, 1882.

Lovers of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" to-morrow night.

Visiting the visiting Wabash surgeons.

Yesterday Mr. I. L. Haworth purchased a desirable residence lot on West North street, adjoining Mr. W. L. Hamilton's on the east. It has a frontage of 50 feet and runs back to the alley. It was purchased from Mr. L. Burrows. The consideration was $800.

"Uncle Tom"

The Jacksonville *Journal* of a recent date contains the following to say of the great dramatic production which is to be presented at the opera house in this city to-morrow evening:

C. H. Smith's mammoth double "Uncle Tom's Cabin" combination drew a large crowd at the opera house last night. Almost every seat was filled, the galleries were packed, and the different changes of scene were received with breathless interest by the spectators. The performance excelled every other of this particular play that we have seen, and the fortune to see here. Sam Lee's rendition of the part of Uncle Tom was superb, both as regards his acting and his singing. The Topsys also took the house by storm, and the two Marks made a very decided hit, while the donkeys and dogs put in their appearance at the proper time and made a good show, although they did nothing else. Little Rebecca Sherwood made a sweet and engaging "Eva, the angel child." Miss Leighton also appeared to advantage as Eliza. The special scenery used was new, the plantation songs being well got off, and the vision of peace a fine tableau.

One Tale is Good Until Another is Told

We are greatly obliged to some of the *dry goods* merchants of Decatur for the manifest interest they take in our business, particularly that part which relates to our expenses. And that they may not suffer in mind we assure them, we understand the situation exactly. Our expenses are large. Not as large as Marshall Field & Co., nor A. T. Stewart & Co., and yet, not near so large as all the retail stores in Decatur together—by say from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year. And yet our sales will equal the combined sales of the latter. Then in buying goods in large quantities and from first hands, we save from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year more. So we have the advantage of from sixty to eighty thousand dollars a year in competing for the trade of this section. And our worthy competitors who make it a business to agitate this subject, will please state to *who customers* pay this *great difference in expenses*. Very Respectfully,

Dec24d&wtf. LINN & SCHOENS.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Decatur, Macon County, Ill., for week ending Jan. 21, 1882.

Bennett Mrs Clara	Moffett J B
Pillinger Mrs Addie	Martin Mrs Lou
Parkins P A	Mathem Moses
Bivins & Cree	Murphy Rodney
Briggs Mrs Lizzie	Patterson Henry
Cannon Addie	Pile Thomas B
Coleman Miss Mollie	Robinson C W
Colligan Wm A	Riley Jenny
Davis Mrs Vic	Shoemaker Alice
Lillie Harold	Schettel Samuel
Davis Mrs Mar	Swopely Henry
Fields Nathaniel	Stuart Mrs Martha
Getz M	Sullivan Pete
Green Wm	Swartz Willie
Linden Addie	Tibben Henry
Hendricks Susan	Williams George
Kobb Henry	Warren Grant
Lane F E	Young David

In P. Lizzie, P. M.

Cure Wine For Communion

The reputation and entire purity of Speer's Port Grape Wine, of New Jersey, is such that physicians have had its use, has induced them to write about it and caused it to be the article to prescribe in their practice as the best and most reliable wine to be had. It is held in great favor for Communion purposes, and is sold to be cure for consumptives. Mr. Speer also preserves Grape Juice in natural state as it runs from the press and with the addition of a particle of spirits is called Unfermented Juice. Sold by W. C. Armstrong. 18

The annual reports of the city and State boards of Massachusetts contain some interesting statements concerning pauperism in that State. The total number of poor people cared for last year was 50,000. The net cost of supporting the poor was about $1,800,000, of which sum about one third was paid for the support of the insane poor. The cost of partial support or out door relief in the State was less than one third the total cost. Three fifths of the cases of in door relief and somewhat more than half their cost are furnished by twenty two of the cities. The rate of support has been about $1 for each inhabitant of the State, though some towns pay less than 50 cents for each inhabitant.

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Witness the Great Overcoat Sale at Cheap Charley's. Remember he has reduced the prices of them to less than cost of manufacture. Call and see, whether you wish to buy or not. jan12d&wtf

Woolen Underwear, Hosiery, Cardigan Jackets, etc., must be closed out at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. jan11d&wtf

We keep everything in our line, low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.

Dec12-d&wtf. BALDER & BAKER.

The W. C. T. U. meets every Thursday at 3 p. m., in their room over Mrs. Hamsher's store in Central Block. dtf

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

Dr. J. W. Mitchell

The following complimentary reference to one of our new citizens we find in the Rushville (Ill.) *Citizen* of a recent date. The doctor has an office in this city in post office block.

The many friends of Dr. J. W. Mitchell in this county, will be pleased to learn that he is now located in Decatur, and unite with *The Citizen* in congratulating the people of Decatur on the acquisition of so skillful and successful a physician. A brief sketch of the doctor's history may not be amiss in this connection. He practiced medicine in Rushville and Schuyler county for ten years, and during that time succeeded in building up perhaps the largest practice ever enjoyed by any practicing physician in the county. He received his medical education at the University of New York, was four years an army surgeon, served on Gen. Paynes staff, until a wound received rendered him unable to ride on horseback, was two years in charge of a military hospital, promoted to the rank of Colonel by brevet, and spent two years in Bellevue Hospital, New York City. There are few practicing physicians who can show as good a record, and with the above facts added to the doctor's personal bearing and successful practice here, we can most heartily recommend him to the citizens of Decatur with an assurance that his ability will bear testimony to the truth of this statement.

The Broadway Band

Here we have a poet. He writes for the country newspapers. The paper does not pay him anything for writing. He writes for glory. See how pale and thin he is. Glory does not agree with him. At night he walks without a hat to let the starlight soak his brain. He never gets full. Nobody ever asks him to. He was not born a genius. At a very early age he fell out of the garret window, and when they picked him up he was a poet. Poets are therefore made, not born. This is why fists are hard and the air very settled.

How to Go to Sleep

Sit down in an easy position, relaxing all the muscles of the body and let the head drop forward upon the breast as low as it will without forcing it. Sit quietly thus with for a few minutes freeing all the will of the body and a restful drowsy feeling will ensue, which will, if not disturbed, lead to refreshing sleep. If the sleepless fit comes on in the middle of the night one can sit up in the position described. Stiffness of any part of the body must be avoided and it is well to lend the body forward after lying down to let them to keep it straight or thrown back upon the pillow. The writer suffered several years from sleeplessness caused by severe pain and nervousness and was taught the above by a physician of great experience and ability, and found through it complete relief. Many persons in his vicinity afflicted within the writer's knowledge have tried it and always with good results.

New Jersey Applejack

A New Jersey correspondent writing about the applejack made in Sussex county says: A man never wants to get drunk on applejack more than once. A small drink of the liquor will climb to the head of a man who isn't used to it in less than ten seconds. His face gets red and feels sunburned, when he closes his eyes he sees 9,000,000 candlelight processions changing from two abreast, and if he took two drinks he could be induced to vote to lay a proposed street railroad from the nominee's door to anything he ever saw gracefully. Finally he falls asleep, but it is a peculiarity of this liquor that when he wakes he will find himself drunker than when he lay down, and for three days his head will sound as if a swarm of bees had lived there. This man is born there.

Cannot be excelled in Quality, Style, Price or Fit. Cheap Charley's. Clothing. Dec 8 d&wtf

How many persons getting up in the morning with an appetite, having a bitter taste in the mouth and feeling weak and debilitated. All these need Carter's Iron Bitters. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen, 18

Leave orders at Cole Bros. drug store at the New Deming and St. Nicholas Hotels for Luttner's carriages and omnibuses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29 tf

Carriage Line

William Pond solicits the patronage of all who desire carriage service either for trains, parties, theatres or calls. All orders, either by night or day, left at Hubbard & Swearingen's drug store will receive prompt attention. nov8d1mo

The Eldorado Social Club will give a dancing party at their house on Thursday evening, Feb. 9th, and it will be an invitation affair. During next month this house company will probably give an oyster supper and festival at the tabernacle.

We want your custom and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our goods are the best place in town to buy Buggies are to be had every day in the winter.

d&wtf. BARBER & BAKER.

All goods marked in plain figures at Fleury's, the French Cutter, is the place to get your clothing made. Remember the place, corner of Old Square. Jan 11 d&wtf

Butterick's Fall Pattern Publication

AT HAND TO-DAY.

Sept 1—d&wtf. LINN & SCHOENS.

Thomson's patent and reliable glove fitting corsets, at the CHEAP STORE. Big 18. 22-d&w2w

The Monument Fund

Subscriptions of one dollar to the Garfield Monument Fund will be received at the banking houses of Peddecord, Burrows & Co., J. Millikin & Co., Decatur National Bank, and R. P. Lytle, Postmaster.

J. J. PEDDECORD, Authorized Agent for Macon county. Dec 29—dtf

Overcoats reduced to less than cost of manufacture at Cheap Charley's. Jan. 12—d&wtf

"Fair Dealing is Our Standard"
"One Price is Our Anchor!"
"Permanent Popularity is Our Goal"
CHEAP CHARLEY'S
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OUR BARGAIN TABLE

CONTAINS AT PRESENT

Tablecloth colored and bleached fringed Damasks at 50 cents at $1 15
50 dozen fine colored linen Napkins at $1 00
50 dozen full size linen Napkins at $1 50
50 dozen full size, fine, $2
Honeycomb Quilts, $1 25 and up
Cotton Batting, Bleached and Brown, 5 to 10 cents per pair
Large stock of Cotton Towels at 5 cents per pair
50 dozen all linen huckaback Towels at 10 cents each
Yarns, Knitting Silk, Fringes, Gimps, Buttons, Cords, Wool Delaines, Dress Goods, Prints, Ginghams, Brilliantines, Cloaks, Dolmans, Jackets, Blankets, Flannels, Jeans, Cassimeres, Satinets, Linseys, Kentucky Jeans, Tickings, Denims, Cottonades, Linsey Jeans, Cotton Flannels, Canton Flannels, Ladies' Cloth, Cashmeres, Merrimacks, Cambrics, Muslins, Linen Lawns, Linen Cambrics, Linen Towels, Linen Napkins, Linen Damasks, Linen Sheetings, Linen Crash, Linen Huckaback, Linen Diapers, Linen Doilies, Linen Sets, Linen Fringes, Linen Gimps, Linen Cords, Linen Buttons, Linen Thread, Linen Tapes, Linen Braids, Linen Bindings, Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Linen Hemmed Handkerchiefs, Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, Linen Fringed Handkerchiefs, Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Linen Lawn Handkerchiefs, Linen Cambric